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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
Graichen et al.

: Examiner: Yolanda L Wilson

Serial No. 09/681,652

: Group Art Unit: 2113

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For SYSTEM, METHOD AND COMPUTER PRODUCT FOR PERFORMING  
AUTOMATED PREDICTIVE RELIABILITY

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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S I R:

In response to the Office Action mailed on 13 January 2006, please amend the  
above-referenced application as follows.

If any additional fees for the accompanying response are required, the Director is  
hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required to Deposit Account 07-0868.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper;

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

